



CATEX CHECKLIST

CHECKLIST OF EXTRAORDINARY CIRCUMSTANCES & SENSITIVE RESOURCES IN SUPPORT OF A CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION (CATEX) DETERMINATION FOR A DENALI COMMISSION PROJECT

Program Partner Name Alaska Village Electric Cooperative		Project Name Holy Cross Bulk Fuel Upgrades		
Location Holy Cross, Alaska		Project # W.O. # 9723512	Subproject # N/A	
Identify Categorical Exclusion The proposed project is identified in the Denali Commission list of categorical exclusions provided in 45 CFR Appendix A to Part 900. The appropriate paragraph number(s) is/are B3 (b)				
Project Description (2-3 sentences maximum) Proposed bulk fuel upgrades include a 194,000 gallon co-located tank farm to supply local power generation and local fuel operations that include retail sales and fleet dispensing. Additionally, new dual product barge headers and two 3,000 LF fill pipelines will be constructed to serve the new tank farm. The combined area of all proposed improvements is approximately 1 acre. Please see attached site plans. Construction is anticipated for summer 2018.				
Instructions The information you provide below will assist the Denali Commission in making its determination as to whether a Categorical Exclusion (CATEX) is appropriate or further environmental analysis is required for the proposed project. Please place a checkmark in the blank next to the numbered items indicating your response on that issue. A checkmark in the "Yes" block does not automatically preclude the development of the proposed project. It simply means further assessment is needed. Should you have any remarks that may indicate the need to prepare an Environmental Analysis (EA) or an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS), attach a brief explanation of the circumstances for further evaluation. Adverse affects to environmentally sensitive resources must be resolved through another environmental process, e.g., coordination or consultation under the Coastal Zone Management Act or National Historic Preservation Act, before being categorically excluded. Attachments are allowed and encouraged.				
Extraordinary Circumstances		Determination		Basis for determination: <i>See attached comments</i>
		Yes	No	
1. Public Health, Safety or Environment Will the proposed project have a reasonably likelihood of significant impacts on public health, public safety, or the environment?		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The project will improve the reliability and safety of fuel storage and dispensing facilities in the community. As a result, environmental and public health will be better protected.
2. Controversy on Environmental Grounds Will the proposed project have effects on the environment that are likely to be highly controversial or involve unresolved conflicts concerning alternative uses of available resources?		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The proposed project site is located adjacent to the existing fuel facilities and sewage lagoon on City owned property. As such, the area has been historically utilized for fuel related infrastructure and is not considered controversial.
3. Uncertain, Unique or Unknown Risks Will the proposed project have possible effects on the human environment that are highly uncertain, involve unique or unknown risks, or are scientifically controversial?		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The project will benefit all of the population by decreasing the risk of general public exposure to hazards related to fuel storage and dispensing.

<p>4. Precedent for Future Action Will the proposed action establish a precedent for future action or represent a decision in principle about future actions with potentially significant environmental effects?</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<p>The proposed action replaces aged, non-code compliant fuel storage and dispensing equipment. These actions will significantly reduce current environmental threats.</p>
<p>5. Cumulative Impacts Will the proposed project relate to other actions with individually insignificant but cumulatively significant environmental effects?</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<p>The project replaces, multiple, dispersed, fuel facilities with new co-located facilities reducing potential cumulative environmental effects.</p>
<p>6. Scope and Size Will the proposed project have a greater size and scope than is normal for the category of action?</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<p>Generally, the size and scope of this type of facility is based on the combined effects of anticipated capital improvements and the growth rate of the community's population. As such, the proposed size and scope of this project is normal in relation to other Alaska communities of similar size and growth characteristics. The proposed facilities meet the requirements for Categorical Exclusions of Appendix A to Part 900 Section B3(b).</p>

7. Environmental Conditions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	While any fuel storage facility presents some inherent risk, the proposed improvements are far less likely to impact the environment than the existing tank facilities being replaced. The proposed site has already been significantly modified from its natural condition and the proposed improvements are not expected to cause any additional environmental harm to the site.
Will the proposed project have the potential to degrade already existing poor environmental conditions or to initiate a degrading influence, activity or effect in areas not already significantly modified from their natural condition?			
8. Environmental Justice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The proposed project will not adversely affect low income or minority populations.
Will the proposed project have a disproportionately high and adverse effect on low income or minority populations? Ref: Executive Order 12898, Federal Actions to Address Environmental Justice in Minority Populations and Low-Income Populations			
9. Indian Sacred Sites	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No, the Alaska Historic Resources Survey (AHRS) was reviewed on 1/30/18. The AHRS shows all catalogued cultural resources areas are outside the proposed project's Area of Potential Effects (APE).
Will the proposed project limit access to or ceremonial use of Indian sacred sites by Indian religious practitioners or adversely affect the physical integrity of such sacred sites? (EO 13007) <i>"Indian tribe" means an Indian or Alaska Native tribe, band, nation, pueblo, village, or community that the Secretary of the Interior acknowledges to exist as an Indian tribe pursuant to Public Law No. 103-454, 108 Stat. 4791, and "Indian" refers to a member of such an Indian tribe. (EO 13007)</i> Ref: Executive Order 13007, Indian Sacred Sites			
Sensitive Resources	Impact Potential		Basis for determination: See attached comments
	Yes	No	
10. Section 106 Historic Properties	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The State Historic Preservation Office has issued a finding of no historic properties affected for the proposed project dated 1/30/18.
Will the proposed project adversely affect properties in, or eligible for inclusion in, the National Register of Historic Places? Ref: National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (16 U.S.C. 470 et seq.), as amended. (See 36 CFR 800, Protection of Historic Properties).			
11. Endangered Species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The US Fish and Wildlife Service's IPaC Trust Resource Report was reviewed using the IPaC website mapper. Based on the review, there are no endangered species within the limits of the project.
Will the proposed project adversely affect species listed, or proposed to be listed on the Endangered or Threatened Species List, or the specific critical habitat? Ref: Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.), as amended. (See 50 CFR part 402).			
12. Historic or Cultural Resources	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	There are no known archaeological or prehistoric sites at the proposed project location. The current
Will the proposed action adversely impact the historic and cultural environment of the Nation?			

Ref: Executive Order 11593, Protection and enhancement of the cultural environment.			proposed project is not anticipated any adverse impacts to known cultural resources. The State Historic Preservation Office has issued a finding of no historic properties affected for the proposed project.
13. Park, Recreation or Refuge Lands Will the proposed project have significant adverse direct or indirect effects on National or State Park, Recreation or Refuge lands? Ref: Wilderness Act of 1964 (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), as amended.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The proposed project is not located within or adjacent to any National or State Parks, recreation lands, or refuges.
14. Wilderness Areas Will the proposed project adversely impact a wilderness area? Ref: Wilderness Act of 1964 (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), as amended.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The proposed project is not located within and will not impact any wilderness areas.
15. Wild and Scenic Rivers Is the proposed project a "Water Resources Project" that will impact a wild, scenic or recreational river area and create conditions inconsistent with the character of the river? Ref: Wild & Scenic Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. 1271 et seq.), as amended.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	This project is not a water resources project and will not impact wild, scenic, or recreational river areas.
16. National Natural Landmarks Will the proposed project impact a National Natural Landmark? Ref: Historic Sites Act of 1935 (16 U.S.C. 461 et seq.), as amended.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Based on a review of the National Park Service National Natural Landmarks Website, the proposed project will not impact a National Natural Landmark.
17. Sole Source Aquifers If the proposed action would not have adverse effects on this resource, it may be considered that there is no Impact Potential. Ref: Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974, (42 U.S.C. 201, 300 et seq., and 21 U.S.C. 349), as amended. (See 40 CFR part 149).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	According to the EPA website there are no sole source aquifers in Alaska.
18. Prime Farmlands Will the proposed project convert significant agricultural lands to non-agricultural uses? Ref: Farmlands Protection Policy Act of 1981 (7 U.S.C. 4201 et seq.), as amended. (See 7 CFR part 658).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The proposed project will not convert any agricultural lands to non-agricultural uses.
19. Wetlands Will the proposed project adversely affect wetlands or will there be construction in wetlands, except in conformance with a U.S. Corps of Engineers Section 404 Permit? Ref: Executive Order 11990, Protection of Wetlands	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	According to the National Wet Lands Inventory, the proposed sites are not located on wetland areas.
20. Floodplains Will the proposed project involve construction in a floodplain or impact floodplain development? Ref: Executive Order 11988, Floodplain Management	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Based on the national FEMA Flood Map Service Center, the project area has not been mapped.
21. National Monuments Will proposed project impact a National Monument?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	This project is not within proximity of any National

Possible sources of the above documents include as appropriate, GSA, Department of Housing and Urban Development, the property owner, military base environmental office, local governmental organizations, local public library, and City/County planning office.

2. PERSONAL CONTACT Personal contacts are useful when the individual contacted is an accepted authority on the subject(s), and the interview is documented. Supporting documentation should include the name, organization, and title of the person contacted and the date of the conversation. Examples include EPA officials, EPA hotlines, officials from state or local planning offices and environmental offices, or an environmental officer of an agency.
3. SITE VISIT A site visit does not usually involve any testing or measurements. A site visit is an important method for initial screening of the issues, but for some of the categories it may be inadequate for final evaluation. Supporting documentation should include date of the site visit, by whom, and the supporting observation.

Pollution Prevention. The agency must include pollution prevention considerations in the siting, design, construction, renovation, and operation of the project or facility.

The questionnaire items on sedimentation and erosion control measures and storm water control plan are also pollution prevention related.

			Monuments.
22. Ecologically Significant or Critical Areas Will the proposed project impact an ecologically significant or critical area?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The proposed site is not near any known ecologically sensitive or critical areas.
23. Other Known Reasons Is an environmental assessment required for other known reasons?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No.


Additional Comments

Note: Tank Farm acreage \approx 20,000 SF < 2 acre impact
 Pipeline impact \approx 10,000 SF
 Joel 2/8 - 2/16/18 B(3)(E) CATEX

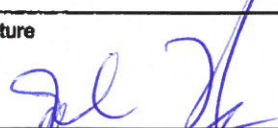
Based upon the categorical exclusion identified above, this completed checklist and attachments, I certify to the best of my knowledge, that the information provided above is complete and correct, and that:

A categorical exclusion determination is appropriate for this project:	Yes: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No: <input type="checkbox"/>
Further environmental analysis is required:	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/>	No: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

PREPARED BY

Date 2/2/2017	Typed or Printed Name and Title Nicholas Phelps, EIT	Signature 
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DENALI COMMISSION APPROVING OFFICIAL

Date 2/16/18	Typed or Printed Name and Title Joel Neumayer Federal Co-Chair	Signature 
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Environmental Information and Documentation
 Supplemental Instructions

Basis for Determination and Documentation

The basis for determination and documentation information must be traceable and establish the factual data to support the response to each question. Types of information to be included in this column are outlined below.

- PRINTED MATERIALS** These are useful sources of detailed information materials such as comprehensive land use plans, zoning maps, city master plans, environmental baseline surveys, environmental assessments, environmental impact statements and studies. Information must be current and must represent accepted methodologies, i.e., not so old that changing conditions make them irrelevant. Citations for the material should include enough information so that an outside reviewer can locate the specific reference, e.g., author, document title, publication date, and page number.

Examples include the Record of Decision, Finding of Suitability to Transfer, Finding of Suitability to Lease, General Services Administration (GSA) Property Suitability Determination Form, Federal Property Information Checklist, Environmental Baseline Surveys, Preliminary Assessment Reports, Environmental Assessments, draft or final Environmental Impact Statements, and City/County master plan or zoning map.

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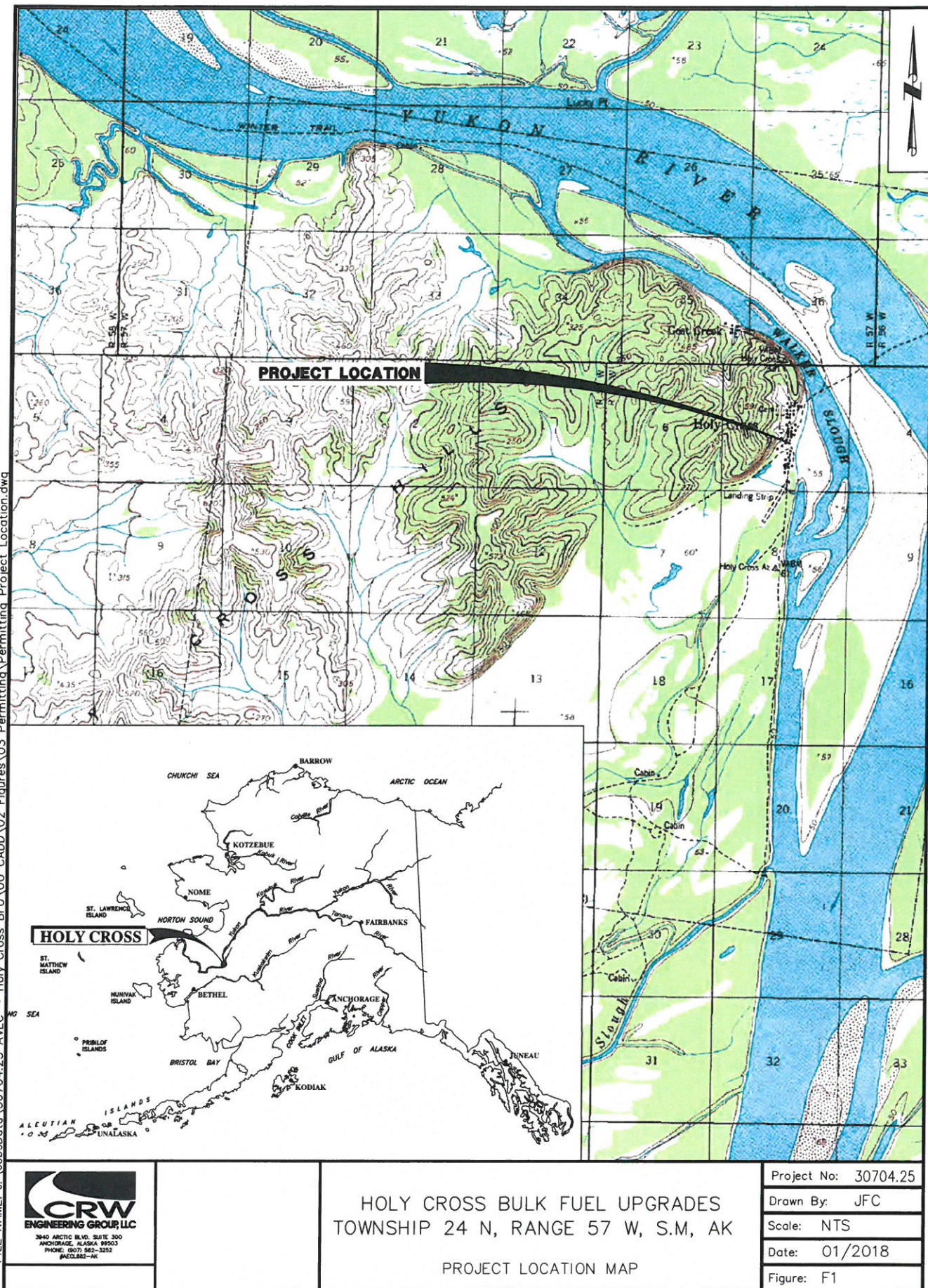


Figure 1



U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

National Wetlands Inventory

Holy Cross

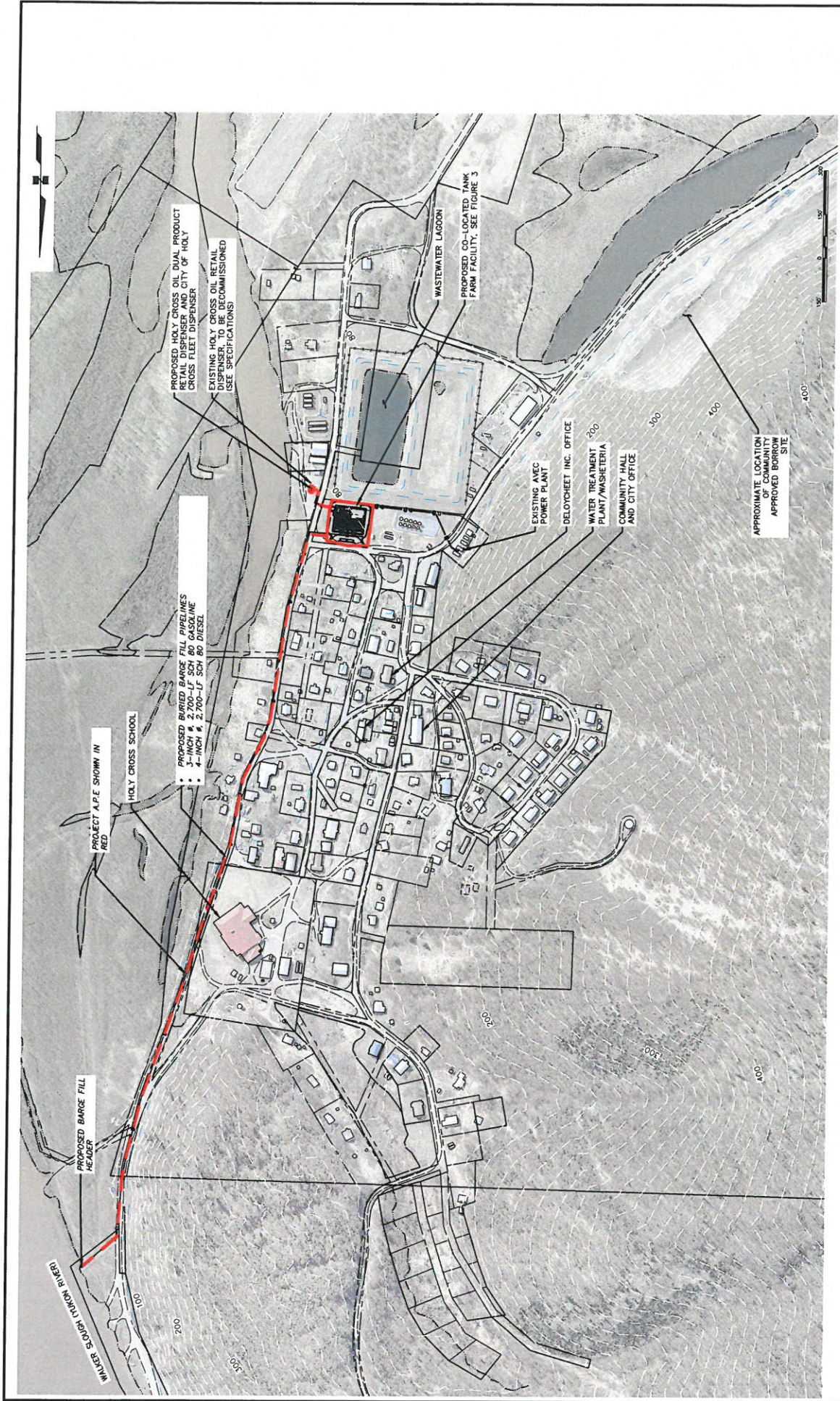



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January 31, 2018

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| | Estuarine and Marine Deepwater | | Freshwater Forested/Shrub Wetland | | Other |
| | Estuarine and Marine Wetland | | Freshwater Pond | | Riverine |
| | Freshwater Emergent Wetland | | Lake | | |

This map is for general reference only. The US Fish and Wildlife Service is not responsible for the accuracy or currentness of the base data shown on this map. All wetlands related data should be used in accordance with the layer metadata found on the Wetlands Mapper web site.



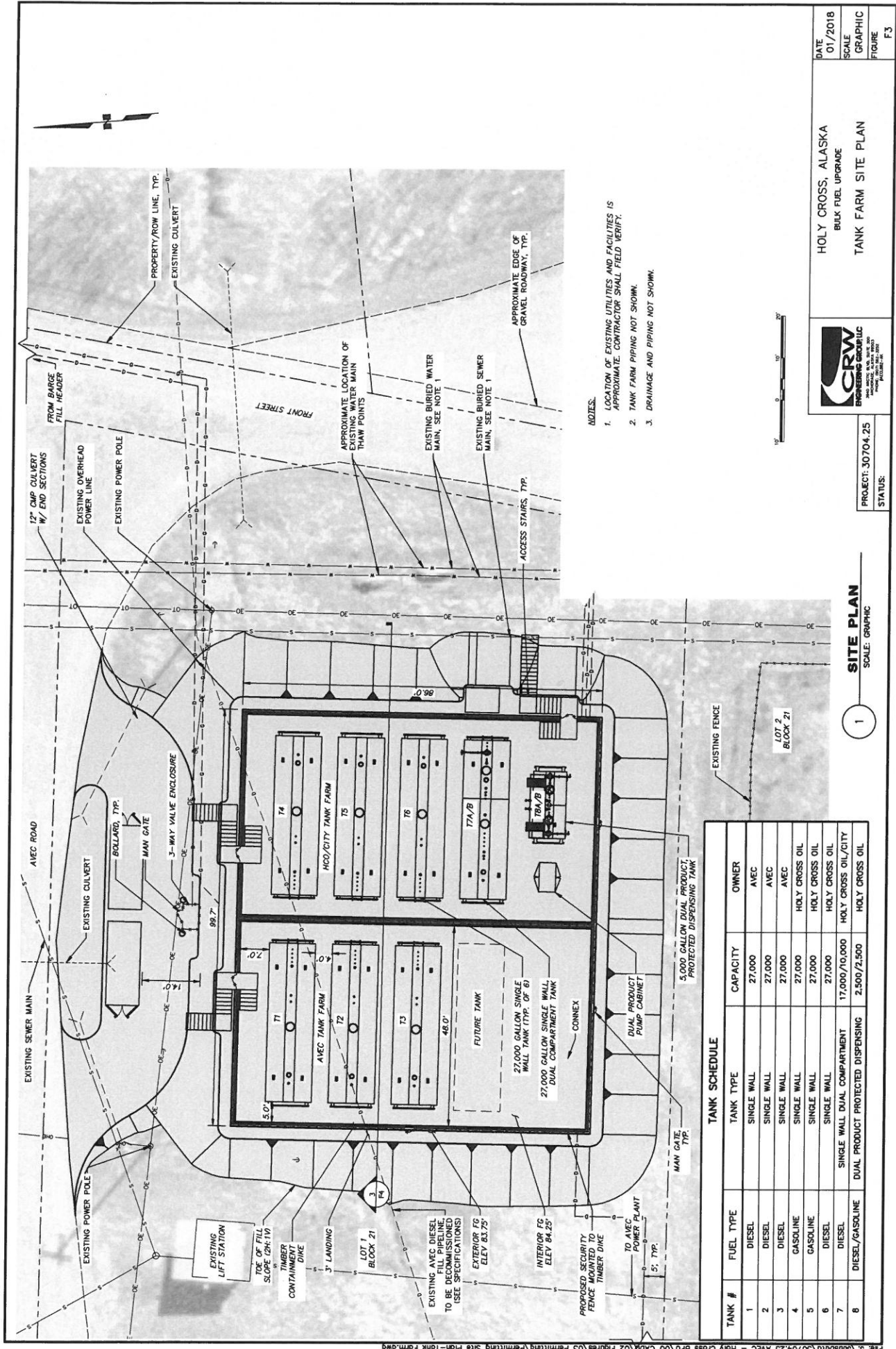


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HOLY CROSS, ALASKA
BULK FUEL UPGRADE
VICINITY MAP

DATE: 01/2018
 SCALE: GRAPHIC
 FIGURE: F2

PROJECT: 30704.25
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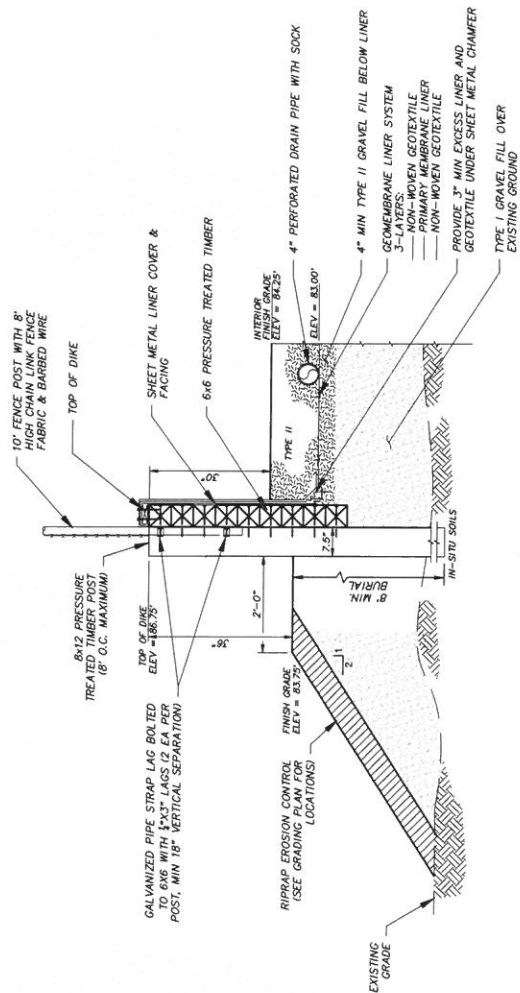
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HOLY CROSS, ALASKA
BULK FUEL UPGRADE
TANK FARM SITE PLAN

PROJECT: 30704.25
STATUS:

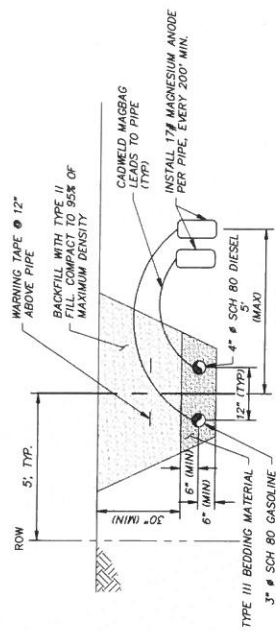
SITE PLAN
SCALE: GRAPHIC

TANK SCHEDULE				
TANK #	FUEL TYPE	TANK TYPE	CAPACITY	OWNER
1	DIESEL	SINGLE WALL	27,000	AVEC
2	DIESEL	SINGLE WALL	27,000	AVEC
3	DIESEL	SINGLE WALL	27,000	AVEC
4	GASOLINE	SINGLE WALL	27,000	HOLY CROSS OIL
5	GASOLINE	SINGLE WALL	27,000	HOLY CROSS OIL
6	DIESEL	SINGLE WALL	27,000	HOLY CROSS OIL
7	DIESEL	SINGLE WALL DUAL COMPARTMENT	17,000/10,000	HOLY CROSS OIL/CITY
8	DIESEL/GASOLINE	DUAL PRODUCT PROTECTED DISPENSING	2,500/2,500	HOLY CROSS OIL



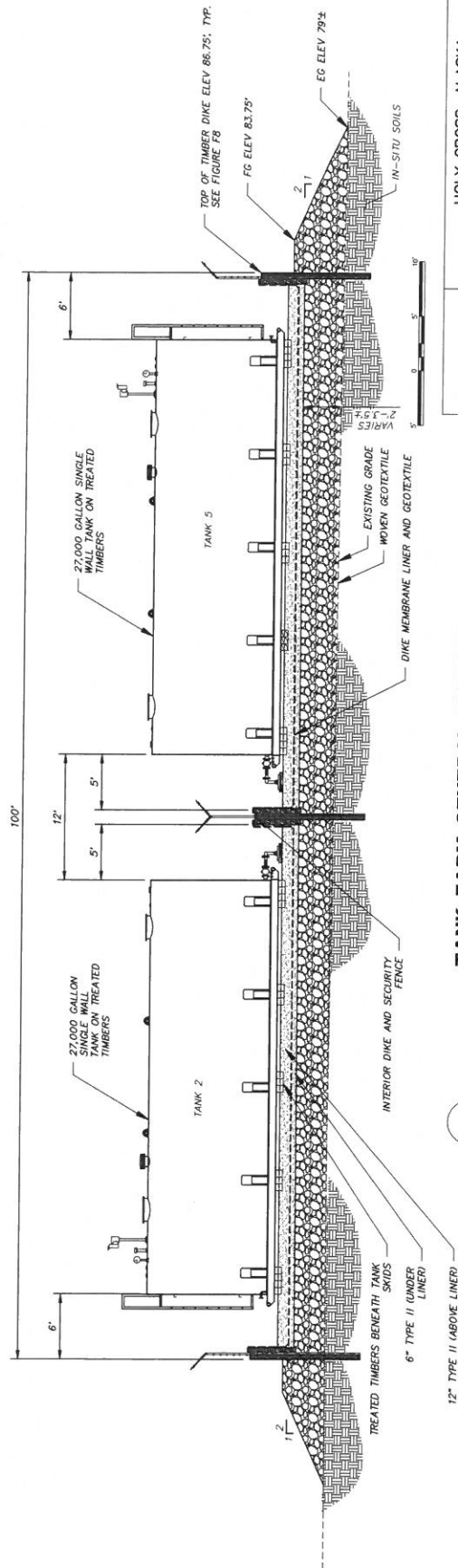
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TYPICAL BARGE FILL PIPELINES TRENCH SECTION

SCALE: NTS



TANK FARM GENERAL SECTION

SCALE: GRAPHIC

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HOLY CROSS, ALASKA BULK FUEL UPGRADE TANK FARM SECTION AND DETAILS	DATE	01/2018
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3130-1R Denali Commission

January 25, 2018

Judith E. Bittner, State Historic Preservation Officer
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SM No Historic Properties Affected
Alaska State Historic Preservation Officer
Date: 1/30/18 File No.: 3130-1R Denali Commission 2018-00095
Please review: 36 CFR 800.13 / A.S. 41.35.070(d)

Subject: Holy Cross Bulk Fuel Upgrade Project
Request Concurrence of Finding of No Historic Properties Affected

Dear Ms. Bittner:

CRW Engineering Group, LLC is working with the Alaska Village Electric Cooperative (AVEC), in partnership with the Denali Commission (DC), which is cooperating with the City of Holy Cross, and Holy Cross Oil, Inc. to upgrade the community's bulk fuel system in Holy Cross, Alaska. The project is located within Section 05, Township 024 North, Range 57 West, Seward Meridian. Attached are Figures 1-4, which include a vicinity map showing the project area, an overall site development plan showing the Area of Potential Effect (APE) in red, an enlarged tank farm plan and typical sections of the pipeline and fill pad/dike. Pursuant to 36 CFR 800.4(d)(1), implementing regulations of Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act, AVEC requests on behalf of the Denali Commission concurrence with the finding that no historic properties would be affected by the proposed project.

The Alaska Village Electric Cooperative (AVEC) proposes to construct bulk fuel storage and handling facilities, which will include a bulk fuel co-located tank farm, installation of 3000' of barge fuel pipeline and fuel handling improvements for AVEC, the City of Holy Cross, and Holy Cross Oil, Inc. The tank farm will be constructed on a fill pad on previously developed land adjacent to the sewage lagoon. Fill pipelines will be installed within the existing pipeline alignment. Approximately 5,860 cubic yards of material from an existing local borrow source will be placed within an area of approximately 1.02-acres.

The Alaska Historic Resources Survey (AHRS) was reviewed on 1/22/18. The AHRS shows there are cultural sites within the Holy Cross area including XHC 4, the town of Holy Cross and XHC 106, historic house depression and trash scatter.

However, XHC 106 is listed based on a field survey done in 1994, Doc Repo #4536: (07/01/1994) SJS/Jensen, A.M., Parmelee, L.F. *An Archaeological Field Survey In Connection With Proposed Construction in the City of Holy Cross, Final Report* and the site description in AHRS does not match the point's location. It refers to a site location further south and east, outside the project APE. It is marked in the 1994 report as house service location #4 on page 10 Pedestrian Survey section and on page 2 Figure 1. That section describes "a similar house was reported to have been located across the road, on the eastern edge of the proposed lagoon expansion. It is currently covered by about 5 feet of gravel..." The 2005 AHRS card notes that it was probably destroyed by road construction. This site under 5 feet of gravel matches the Lat: 62.1966339, Long: -159.76938919 for XHC-106. McKenzie Johnson (email 1/25/18) says "After review of the report it seems apparent that XHC-106 is not accurately located, based on the photograph provided and written description it should be more along the lines of 62.195075, -159.769336 (approximation) on the E side of the road at the SE side of the Sewage Lagoon." Therefore, I believe XHC 106 is outside the project APE. No AHRS number has been assigned to the site under 5' of gravel and there is no further mention of it in the literature.

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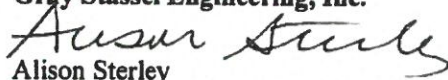
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All other cataloged cultural resource areas are outside the Area of Potential Affect (APE).

There are no known archaeological or prehistoric sites within the proposed project location. AVEC requests concurrence that no historic properties would be affected by the proposed project.

Please notify me as soon as possible if you anticipate any concerns with the proposed project. If you have any questions or need additional information, please call me at (907) 349-0100, or fax your comments to (907) 349-8001.

Sincerely,
Gray Stassel Engineering, Inc.


Alison Sterley
Cultural Resource Specialist

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Attachments – as noted



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In Reply Refer To:

January 30, 2018

Consultation Code: 07CAFB00-2018-SLI-0057

Event Code: 07CAFB00-2018-E-00174

Project Name: Holy Cross BFU Project

Subject: List of threatened and endangered species that may occur in your proposed project location, and/or may be affected by your proposed project

To Whom It May Concern:

The enclosed species list identifies threatened, endangered, proposed and candidate species, as well as proposed and final designated critical habitat, that may occur within the boundary of your proposed project and/or may be affected by your proposed project. The species list fulfills the requirements of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) under section 7(c) of the Endangered Species Act (Act) of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*).

New information based on updated surveys, changes in the abundance and distribution of species, changed habitat conditions, or other factors could change this list. Please feel free to contact us if you need more current information or assistance regarding the potential impacts to federally proposed, listed, and candidate species and federally designated and proposed critical habitat. Please note that under 50 CFR 402.12(e) of the regulations implementing section 7 of the Act, the accuracy of this species list should be verified after 90 days. This verification can be completed formally or informally as desired. The Service recommends that verification be completed by visiting the ECOS-IPaC website at regular intervals during project planning and implementation for updates to species lists and information. An updated list may be requested through the ECOS-IPaC system by completing the same process used to receive the enclosed list.

The purpose of the Act is to provide a means whereby threatened and endangered species and the ecosystems upon which they depend may be conserved. Under sections 7(a)(1) and 7(a)(2) of the Act and its implementing regulations (50 CFR 402 *et seq.*), Federal agencies are required to utilize their authorities to carry out programs for the conservation of threatened and endangered species and to determine whether projects may affect threatened and endangered species and/or designated critical habitat.

A Biological Assessment is required for construction projects (or other undertakings having similar physical impacts) that are major Federal actions significantly affecting the quality of the human environment as defined in the National Environmental Policy Act (42 U.S.C. 4332(2)(c)). For projects other than major construction activities, the Service suggests that a biological evaluation similar to a Biological Assessment be prepared to determine whether the project may affect listed or proposed species and/or designated or proposed critical habitat. Recommended contents of a Biological Assessment are described at 50 CFR 402.12.

If a Federal agency determines, based on the Biological Assessment or biological evaluation, that listed species and/or designated critical habitat may be affected by the proposed project, the agency is required to consult with the Service pursuant to 50 CFR 402. In addition, the Service recommends that candidate species, proposed species and proposed critical habitat be addressed within the consultation. More information on the regulations and procedures for section 7 consultation, including the role of permit or license applicants, can be found in the "Endangered Species Consultation Handbook" at:

<http://www.fws.gov/endangered/esa-library/pdf/TOC-GLOS.PDF>

Please be aware that bald and golden eagles are protected under the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 668 *et seq.*), and projects affecting these species may require development of an eagle conservation plan (http://www.fws.gov/windenergy/eagle_guidance.html). Additionally, wind energy projects should follow the wind energy guidelines (<http://www.fws.gov/windenergy/>) for minimizing impacts to migratory birds and bats.

Guidance for minimizing impacts to migratory birds for projects including communications towers (e.g., cellular, digital television, radio, and emergency broadcast) can be found at: <http://www.fws.gov/migratorybirds/CurrentBirdIssues/Hazards/towers/towers.htm>; <http://www.towerkill.com>; and <http://www.fws.gov/migratorybirds/CurrentBirdIssues/Hazards/towers/comtow.html>.

We appreciate your concern for threatened and endangered species. The Service encourages Federal agencies to include conservation of threatened and endangered species into their project planning to further the purposes of the Act. Please include the Consultation Tracking Number in the header of this letter with any request for consultation or correspondence about your project that you submit to our office.

Attachment(s):

- Official Species List

Official Species List

This list is provided pursuant to Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act, and fulfills the requirement for Federal agencies to "request of the Secretary of the Interior information whether any species which is listed or proposed to be listed may be present in the area of a proposed action".

This species list is provided by:

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Project Summary

Consultation Code: 07CAFB00-2018-SLI-0057

Event Code: 07CAFB00-2018-E-00174

Project Name: Holy Cross BFU Project

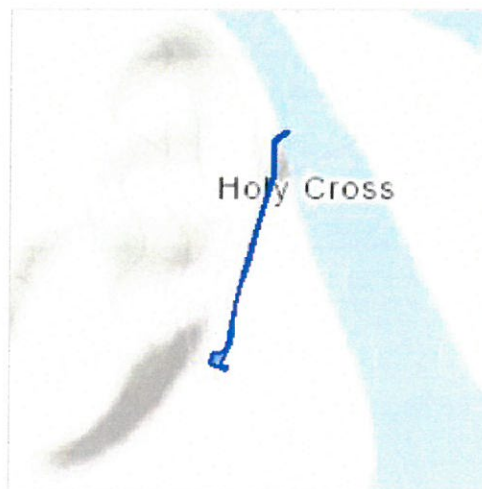
Project Type: ** OTHER **

Project Description: Proposed Bulk Fuel project storage facility includes a 194,000 gallon co-located tank farm to supply local power generation and local fuel operations including retail sales and fleet dispensing. Tanks include seven 27,000 gallon horizontal tanks within an elevated timber containment dike.

Additionally, a 3,000 LF buried fill diesel and gasoline pipelines, and barge header, will serve the new tank farm. The combined area of all proposed improvements is approximately .6 acres. Construction is anticipated for summer 2018.

Project Location:

Approximate location of the project can be viewed in Google Maps: <https://www.google.com/maps/place/62.20014629023429N159.76786697013503W>



Counties: Yukon-Koyukuk, AK

Endangered Species Act Species

There is a total of 0 threatened, endangered, or candidate species on this species list. Species on this list should be considered in an effects analysis for your project and could include species that exist in another geographic area. For example, certain fish may appear on the species list because a project could affect downstream species. See the "Critical habitats" section below for those critical habitats that lie wholly or partially within your project area under this office's jurisdiction. Please contact the designated FWS office if you have questions.

Critical habitats

THERE ARE NO CRITICAL HABITATS WITHIN YOUR PROJECT AREA UNDER THIS OFFICE'S JURISDICTION.